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For: Vascular Endothelial Growth Factor 2 Examiner: Landsman, R.

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Prior to substantive examination of the above-identified patent application, please enter the following amendments. Applicants submit concurrently herewith: (a) a Fee Transmittal Sheet (in duplicate).

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U.S. Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE Under the Paper Offe Proposition Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number. Complete if Known FEE TRANSMITTAL 10/696,002-Conf. #7776 Application Number October 30, 2003 Filing Date for FY 2004 Jing-Shan Hu First Named Inventor Effective 10/01/2003. Patent fees are subject to annual revision. **Examiner Name** R. S. Landsman Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27 1647 Art Unit PF112P3C2US Attorney Docket No. TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$) 1,544.00 FEE CALCULATION (continued) METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply) Credit Check Othe None 3. ADDITIONAL FEES Card Orde X Deposit Account: Small Entity Large Entity Deposit 08-3425 Fee Fee Fee Fee Account Fee Description (\$) Fee Paid Number Code Code (\$) Deposit 1051 130 2051 Surcharge - late filing fee or oath 65 Human Genome Sciences, Inc. Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover 1052 50 2052 25 he Director is authorized to: (check all that apply) X Credit any overpayments X Charge fee(s) indicated below 1053 130 1053 130 Non-English specification Charge any additional fee(s) or any underpayment of fee(s) 1812 2,520 1812 2,520 For filing a request for ex parte reexamination x Requesting publication of SIR prior to 1804 9201 1804 Charge fee(s) indicated below, except for the filing fee Examiner action Requesting publication of SIR after to the above-identified deposit account. 1805 1 840 1805 1 8401 Examiner action FEE CALCULATION 1251 110 2251 55 Extension for reply within first month 2252 1. BASIC FILING FEE 1252 420 210 Extension for reply within second month Small Entity 950 2253 Large Entity 1253 Extension for reply within third month 475 Fee Fee Fee Fee Description Fee Paid 1,480 1254 2254 740 Extension for reply within fourth month Code (\$) Code (\$) 2255 1,005 Extension for reply within fifth month 1001 770 2001 385 Utility filing fee 1255 2.010 1401 2401 1002 340 2002 170 Design filing fee 330 165 Notice of Appeal 2003 265 Plant filing fee 330 2402 1003 530 1402 165 Filing a brief in support of an appeal 2004 385 1004 770 Reissue filina fee 1403 290 2403 Request for oral hearing 145 1005 160 2005 80 Provisional filing fee 1451 1,510 1451 1,510 Petition to institute a public use proceeding 1452 110 2452 Petition to revive - unavoidable SUBTOTAL (1) (\$) 0.00 1453 1.330 2453 665 Petition to revive - unintentional 1501 1.330 2501 665 Utility issue fee (or reissue) 2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE Extra Fee from 1502 480 2502 240 Design issue fee Fee Paid Claims below Total Claims 70 -29** = 738.00 1503 640 2503 320 Plant issue fee 41 18.00 Independent Petitions to the Commissioner 1460 130 1460 14 -8** = 6 86.00 516.00 130 Claims 50 1807 1807 Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q) Multiple Dependent 290.00 290.00 1806 180 1806 180 Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt Large Entity Small Entity Recording each patent assignment per Fee Fee Description 8021 40 8021 40 Code (\$) Code (\$) property (times number of properties) Filing a submission after final rejection 1202 18 2202 9 Claims in excess of 20 1809 770 2809 385 (37 ČFR 1.129(a)) 1201 2201 43 86 Independent claims in excess of 3 For each additional invention to be 1810 770 2810 385 2203 Multiple dependent claim, if not paid 1203 290 145 examined (37CFR 1.129(b)) 1204 86 2204 Reissue independent claims 1801 770 2801 Request for Continued Examination (RCE) 385 over original patent Request for expedited examination 1802 900 1802 900 1205 18 2205 Reissue claims in excess of 20 of a design application and over original patent Other fee (specify)

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